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## STOPPING THE BIDEN-HARRIS AUTHORITARIAN VACCINE MANDATE

The Biden-Harris authoritarian vaccine mandate for Medicare and Medicaid (CMS) providers has the potential to upend the health care system, shut down rural hospitals, and force patients to delay care they need.

Congressman Jeff Duncan (R-SC) and House Republicans are leading a resolution under the Congressional Review Act (CRA) to halt the vaccine mandate in order to protect our nation's frontline health care workers and the patients they serve.



### President Biden's Vaccine Mandates are Authoritarian

President Biden shouldn't be using force and fear. He should be building trust—not resentment—by encouraging people to talk to their doctors about the vaccine.

No one should be forced to make a choice to comply with the government or lose their livelihoods altogether.



### The Great Resignation that will Destroy Patient Care

Health industry resignations surged to a 20-year high in September 2021. Roughly 589,000 health and social assistance workers left their jobs. Providers are raising the alarm that these workforce shortages are deeply hurting patient care. Vaccine mandates are making these problems worse.



"If you're working in a small, rural hospital, there's some in Arizona that only have two nurses working on staff, so what if one of them says, 'I'm not going to get vaccinated.' **How are you going to make up for that?**" - A doctor in Arizona told KPHO/KTVK News

Robyn Hobmeier, a registered nurse in Northfield, MN, has fought breast cancer for the past year and recently completed six months of chemotherapy. **"Honestly, I'm lost,"** she said of her termination. **With two children to support, she has lost her job and her health insurance.** - As reported by the Star Tribune

"The number of resignations received leaves us **no choice but to pause delivering babies** at Lewis County General Hospital." - Chief Executive Gerald Cayer told AP News

